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**A LOVE SONG.**

[Dedicated to "ANNE."]  
If we have met, dear heart, before,  
Within some happy age of yore;  
If we had being back among  
The golden days when time was young,  
I love thee then, as I do now.  
If we should live to after time,  
When earth is nearer to her prime;  
If by some happy chance, my sweet,  
In that far age we should meet,  
Thy soul somehow I'd know again,  
As I do now, I'd love thee then,  
I love thee then, as I do now.  
If in some land from this afar,  
Within some other, fairer star,  
If in the realms beyond the skies,  
The visioned walks of paradise,  
Our paths should touch, upon that shore  
I'd love thee still forevermore.  
—The Minstrel.

**Stock and Farm.**

It is estimated by the officials of the Department of Agriculture that the crop of the United States produced in 1898 reached a value of \$400,000,000.

The first stock dealer from Central Kentucky to take stock to Havana, Cuba, is R. A. Dodd, of Wilmore, who shipped a car load of mules there Monday—Jesse James Journal.

The heavy snow during the past two weeks has been of incalculable benefit to the growing wheat. Had it been unprotected it would have almost been ruined by the heavy freezes we have had during that time.

The plan of raising one's own cattle on the farm where they are to be fed for shipment is in keeping with the crop rotation system, which must be adopted or the productivity of the farm will be diminished year by year. The rotation should be in grains and grasses, or such forage as cow peas or something of that class, much of which can be returned to the land.

J. M. Owen and John D. Rees have engaged 2,000 lambs at 5 cents per pound. Tuggle & Sharp sold to J. W. Bates sixty-six feeders, weight 1,100 lbs., at 4 cents. W. H. Robb bought of R. H. Ware twenty-eight good feeders, weight 1,150 lbs., at \$4.10. J. L. Brown received Monday 102 extra feeders which he bought of Simon Weil at 4 1/2 cents. Weight, 1,150—Winchester Sun.

Choice, ripe beef cattle are reported scarce in every market, while there is a surplus of the half-fat kind. Cattle feeders should be on the lookout for the highest price of the season, while the tendency is downward for the half-ripe sort. The moral in this is evident to every man who studies the wants of the market. Send your product—whether fruit, grain or live stock—to market when it is in the condition that the trade demands. Half-ripe fruit sells for little more than the half-ripe—Shelby Sentinel.

The Elizabethtown News says: Harry Lazeros, of Horse Cave, shipped this week 1,100 head of cattle to Baltimore. He sold them to Lehman Bros., of that city, at \$4.05. They averaged about 1,250. Bland, Highbaugh & Summers within the last three weeks shipped twenty car loads of fine cattle to Jersey City, Pittsburgh, Indianapolis, and Louisville. They paid a 45 cents for stockers and 4 1/2 for export cattle. These cattle were bought principally in Tennessee. The same stockmen are usually engaged in planning and arranging to have another car load of Sonora in March on a larger scale than ever attempted before.

During the summer months of each year the Tobacco Trust sends out a number of men to canvass the entire tobacco district to ascertain the acreage of tobacco each farmer has, as well as to learn the condition of the crop. When canvass is completed this Tobacco Trust knows within a few hundred pounds of how much tobacco each county has, and, supplied with this knowledge, is enabled to dictate prices to the grower. When the Tobacco Trust sends its paid agents out to ascertain the acreage and condition of the crop, about the best remedy we can suggest is to kick the agent off the premises and flatly refuse to furnish information to any one.—Ex.

Hick's prediction of a wintry February is being rigidly verified.

**IS YOUR HAIR TURNING GRAY?**

What does your mirror say? Does it tell you of some little streaks of gray? Are you pleased? Do your friends of the same age show this loss of power also? Just remember that gray hair never becomes dark without help, while dark hair rapidly becomes gray when once the change begins.

**Ager's Hair Vigor** will bring back to your hair the color of youth. It never fails. It is just as sure as that heat melts snow, or that water quenches fire. It cleanses the scalp also and prevents the formation of dandruff. It feeds and nourishes the bulbs of the hair making them produce a luxuriant growth. It stops the hair from falling out and gives a fine soft finish to the hair.

We have a bottle on the Hair and Scalp which you may obtain free by mail. It contains all the benefits you need. It is the only hair restorer. Ask your agent from the use of the Vigor, or the bottle sent free.

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Apologies of the action of the County Board of Equalization, a fellow who "went west," so to speak, sends the following bit of humor, says the Fairmount Pencilation:

"His boss went dead" his mule went lame; He lost six cows in a poker game; A hurricane came on a summer's day And carried the house where he lived away; Then an earthquake came when that was gone And swallowed the land the house stood on; And the collector, he come round, An' charged him up with the hole in the ground!"

Horrible agony is caused by Piles, Burns and Skin Diseases. These are immediately relieved and quickly cured by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of worthless imitations. Douglas & Wells.

**NOT SO VERY FAT.**

The other day a farmer entered a livery and sale stable, says the Sandy Herald, and said he wanted to sell a cow.

He was in hard luck. He wanted to sell bad.

"What condition is the cow in?" was the natural inquiry of the proprietor of the stable.

"Fine! I ever saw," the farmer replied. "She's had the best kind of food, and is as fat as butter. She's the healthiest and fattest cow I ever saw!"

"But," interrupted the liveryman, "I don't like cows that are too fat."

"Oh, well," replied the farmer, anxious to make the sale at all hazards, "she ain't so damned fat!"

The smallest things may exert the greatest influence. Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers are unequalled for overcoming constipation and liver troubles. Small pill, best pill, safe pill. Douglas & Wells.

**A TRUE (?) RAT STORY.**

Mr. A. B. Ely, a carriage maker, of Paint Lick, who never was known to stretch the blanket of veracity, says that one of his boys appeared to be greatly annoyed at times lately, continually stamping and stirring about in its stall and observing large sores on the animal's legs, he decided that it had the scratches.

Upon going down to the stable a few mornings ago rather early Mr. Ely says that he was greatly alarmed to find not less than fifty big rats gnawing on the horses legs and hoofs.

**What Shall We Do.**

A serious and dangerous disease prevails in this country, dangerous because so deep-seated, and so slowly yet surely that it is often firmly seated before we are aware of it.

The name of this disease which may be divided into three distinct stages is, First, Kidney trouble, indicated by pain in the back, rheumatic lameness, frequent desire to urinate, often with a burning sensation, the flow of urine being copious or scant, with strong odor.

Followed to advance, this reaches the Second stage, or Bladder trouble, with heavy pain in the abdomen low down between the navel and the water passage, increasing desire to urinate, with a burning sensation in passing, small quantities being passed with difficulty, sometimes necessary to draw it with instruments. If urine acid or gravel has formed, it will prove dangerous if neglected.

The Third stage is Bright's Disease. There is comfort in knowing that Dr. Kilmer, the great kidney and bladder specialist, has discovered a Remedy famous for its marvelous cures of the most distressing cases and known as Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

It is sold by all druggists. As a proof of the wonderful virtues of this great discovery, Swamp-Root, a simple bottle and book of valuable information will be sent absolutely free by mail on application to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing kindly mention that you read this liberal offer in The Richmond CLIMAX.

CLIMAX. IV

**Some Advice.**

[Kentucky Stock Farm.]

A company is being organized in Paris, Ky., for the purpose of buying the old Bourbon Fair Grounds and holding an old-fashioned Kentucky Fair this fall. Hon. Claude M. Thomas is at the head of the movement and has circulated a subscription paper that has received a large number of signers. It has been decided by the owners of the historic old grounds either to cut the place up into building lots or sell it as a whole for agricultural purposes. An old-fashioned Kentucky Fair means that there will be no racing and no trials of speed except those once seen in the "bull rings" of our country agricultural society, and that they will be to utilize the good half-mile track they already have without the building. Bourbon is a horse-breeding and horse-raising county, and the breeders should take an interest in the new association and do all in their power not only to assist in the promotion of the contemplated fair, but also to revive the old-time interest of Bourbon county people in contest of speed by light harness horses. The Stock Farm wishes the new association great success, and believes that revival of trotting racing, properly managed, will go a long way towards securing it.

**STRENGTH OF GRIZZLY BEARS.**

[Public Opinion.]

The strength of grizzly bears is almost beyond belief, says a hunter I have read about the powerful muscles in the arms of African gorillas, but none compared with those in the arms and shoulders of big grizzly bears. I have seen a grizzly bear on one paw shoot into uselessness pull its own 1,100 pounds of meat and bones up precipitous cliffs and perform feats of muscle that trained athletes could not do. I have seen grizzly bears carrying the carcasses of pigs that must have weighed 70 pounds several miles across a mountain side to their lairs, and I have heard hunters tell of having seen some knocked down as if by a thunderbolt with one blow from the forehead of a bear. Three summers ago I spent the season in the mountains near Hudson's bay, and one moonlight night I saw a big grizzly in the act of carrying a dead cow home to her cub. I had a position on the mountain side where I could see every movement of the bear in the sparsely timbered valley below him. The creature carried the dead cow in her fore-paws for, at least three miles, across jagged, sharp rocks 10 feet high, over fallen logs, around the rocky mountain points and over the jagged crests, and got a foot hold, to a narrow trail up the steep mountain. She never stopped to rest a moment, but went right along. I followed, and just about half a mile from the beast's lair I laid her low. The heifer weighed at least 200 pounds and the bear about 450.

**FOR LA GRIPPE.**

Thomas Whitfield & Co., 240 Wash-burn, corner Jackson-st., one of Chicago's oldest and most prominent druggists, recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for La Grippe, as it not only gives a prompt and complete relief, but also counteracts any tendency of La Grippe to result in pneumonia. For sale by Perry & Thomas.

**THE PLATFORM WOMAN.**

She Has Ever Been a Bit Upon American Womanhood.

"The platform woman never has been a credit to, but ever a blot upon, American womanhood. I make this emphatic statement from the personal knowledge of the homes which these women leave behind when they go to their meetings," writes Edward Bok in the January Ladies Home Journal.

"I have seen the rooms of their homes left in wild disorder; I have seen their servant sitting in idleness with work on every hand to do; I have seen their children neglected and left to their own devices; I have heard husbands speak of the decision of Ladies Home Journal, 'No woman in a large American home can ever afford to listen to these parasites of her sex. Fortunately, the platform woman's influence is steadily on the wane. She was never a power. She was never even picturesque. Her worst injury was wrought upon our certainties of that in places where she has spoken during the present season she has not been seen again. The disappearance of the platform woman is a case of a blot being dotted out."

**SURE CURE FOR PROST BITE.**

Mr. J. N. Hazelden writes to the Danville Advocate the following: "Here is an instantaneous and positive cure for frost bite. It was given to me by an old tramp years ago when I was suffering from this disease and I have since used it successfully many times."

**THE REMEDY.**

For a child; take a thimble full of gun powder, place it in a pan and flash it under the foot affected, holding the foot two to four inches above the powder. Use double the amount for a grown person. If the first flash doesn't give relief try a second or third, leaving the feet bare in the meantime. There will be a slight aching sensation for a few minutes and then the cure will be perfect.

In Lancaster some years ago W. O. Rigney came down street early one morning supporting Uncle Billy Gray. The old gentleman was suffering great pain from frost feet. I told him of my remedy, but found his feet so dreadfully swollen and damaged was afraid to use it and told him so. Uncle Billy said:

"Try it, my son, try it. It is death, anyway."

After the third trial he sprang to his feet, embraced me, and walked away cured, the most grateful person I ever saw.

**IN WASHINGTON.**

"Why, those men are fighting!" "Oh, don't mind them!" "But one of them has the other by the hair!" "That's nothing."

"And the other has his opponent's ear between his teeth!" "Oh, come along."

"But wait. It may be a murder!" "Will you come along?" "Tell me first, what they are fighting about?" "They are not fighting."

"Not fighting? What are they doing?" "Arguing over the Constitution!"

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—Dr. Hobson, Dentist.

—Timothy Seed, Clover Seed, Bluegrass Seed and Seed Oats—At E. Deatherage & Co.'s.

—Mr. J. S. Boggs has been dangerously ill.

—Nat Cotton lost 18 head of cattle by the cold.

—Clover Seed in abundance at E. Deatherage & Co.

—It is feared the cold weather has exterminated the partridges.

—"Uncle" Harry Dykes is very ill, at his home near Boonesboro.

—Squire Cotton, of Ruthven, lost 20 head of cattle by cold weather.

—Caldwell High School had to suspend last week on account of the cold.

—Bud Dunn, of Whites Station, sold to Mr. Stagner, of Illinois, one stallion for \$75.

—Timothy Seed at E. Deatherage & Co.

—Mrs. Minerva Moody sold 100 acres of timber land to Mr. Roberts, of Bobtown, for \$600.

—H. L. Stevens bought a tract of land, near Boonesboro, from John Green, for \$300.

—Photo Buttons, the raging bad, 25c or 3 for 50c, at the new gallery, over Moberley's store. feb22-54

—S. J. Roberts sold his Ruthven farm to Mr. Van Hook, who took possession February 10.

—Last lecture of the course, by Dr. Henson, of Chicago, on "Fools," Tuesday night next, March 7.

—Nothing that has struck Richmond in a long time was so welcome as the mild weather and sunlight of Monday.

—The National Bank of Clyburnia reports assets at \$699,006, and individual deposits \$110,000. How's that for high?

—Be sure and get your picture taken at the new photograph gallery over Moberley's furniture store. Photos 6 for 25 cents. feb22-54

—George Haden, of Millton, has been taking the Weekly Enquirer for fifteen years and orders it and the CLIMAX this week.

—E. Deatherage & Co. have fine line of Bluegrass Seed.

—Supt. Adair, of the Electric Light Co., is detained at Clyburnia by sickness. Meanwhile he has ordered work to proceed here.

—Mr. Wm. Arnold put up eight-inch ize, and many others would have done so had not their houses been stocked earlier in the season.

—The free soup house was a blessing to the poor during the cold spell. Other towns provided similarly for their unfortunate citizens.

—The State Bank & Trust Co. was paid \$1,600 damages incurred by its late fire. A steel ceiling and other changes will be made in the building.

—John Shearer and Lula Francis, of Duncannon, and James Kelley and Nannie Alexander, of Bearwallow, were licensed to marry last week.

—It is told on good authority that Col. Wilmore is booked for a fat position under Internal Revenue Commissioner Wilson who lately succeeded Commissioner Scott in office.—Nicholasville Democrat.

—Rabbits are in abundance in these parts of the country. A man is said to have pulled three out of one hole last Wednesday and "would have gotten more if his arm had been a little longer."—Spears cor. Nicholasville Democrat.

—A nice stock of seed oats at E. Deatherage & Co.

—The Louisville & Nashville R. R. Co., has notified its agents at all points that if any coal dealers or consumers can purchase coal in Cincinnati, that it will transport it free of charge in limited quantities during present scarcity.

—Alden Benedict's "Fabio Romani" which will be presented at the Opera House in this city Saturday night, February 25, is an adaptation of Marie Corilla's famous novel, entitled "The Vendetta" and is one of the best melodramas ever written, absorbing interest dealing with Italian love and vengeance. The scenic effects and costumes are pronounced by the press to be the highest spoken of and she is universally considered by all to be the best in that line now before the public.

—Madison furnished about 20 soldiers to the Spanish War.

—Mr. J. L. Sowers enters an emphatic denial of the Courier-Journal report that the river was frozen over at Valley View.

—Mr. J. W. Smith walked on the ice from his Stony Run farm, on the Kentucky river, to Ford, a distance of nearly two miles.

—All members of the Richmond Bicycle Club are requested to meet at H. J. Strongs store on Friday evening at 7:30. Important business on hand.

—J. L. Sowers, our valued Valley View correspondent, has organized a class in penmanship. Ladies on his should give lessons in composition, in which he is very adept.

—Charles Ballard caught a snake crawling on top of the snow in Capt. Shackelford's yard last week. Milward Brown embalmed the reptile at the request of the owner, Ballard.

—The terrific cold weather of last week reached its greatest severity on Monday when the thermometer was 35 at Silver Creek, 26 at Central University, with variations elsewhere in the county.

—Dr. Henson, if not the handsomest, is at least the wildest clergyman in Chicago. He always strikes from the shoulder, for he is as weighty as he is witty.—N. Y. Herald. At Court House, March 8. Last lecture of series.

—After a week's successful engagement in this city, the Lehr-Williams Comedy Company left Sunday for Corbin. This company was greeted each night with a well filled house, and everyone present seemed to get their money's worth.

—A heavy plain gold ring. Return to this office and get liberal reward.

—Lost Umbrella. At some place of business about two weeks ago I left an umbrella with a Celluloid handle, (broken). Finder return to J. H. Watters at Hotel Glyndon and receive liberal reward. feb22-54

KIRKVILLE'S NEW SCHOOL. Prof. Milton Elliott, Jr., of Crab Orchard, and Miss Lottie Farris have opened a school at Elliott Institute, Kirkville. Both are popular educators and will, we feel sure, give the utmost satisfaction.

Photographs in Reach of Everybody. New Gallery Work. Photos on buttons, and on small cards, just as true to life as a \$4 cabinet, may be had, for a short while, at the new gallery, over Moberley's store; the buttons, 3 for 50 cents, or 25 cents for one; the card photos 6 for 25 cents. All the rage.

A Bargain Combination. We desire to call special attention to our very low combination offer with the Ohio Farmer, of Cleveland, Ohio. We have never before been able to make so low a combination price and never may again. Think of two papers of the standing of these, for only \$1.50, both sent a year. It is remarkable and no one should fail to take advantage of it. See notice on outside page this issue.

Fine Fur Using Stiegh Bells. Replying to an inquiry on the subject, the Versailles Star says: There is an old law on the Statute books prohibiting the placing of bells on any animal drawing any vehicle, and providing a fine of from \$2 to \$5 against either driver or employer, for every day that a horse, mule or other animal is committed. The writer has never heard of a prosecution under this act.

WON BY BAKER. The big hat, 8 1/2 size, offered free by Douglas, Bright & Co., to any man who would wear it, was just a little small for Linsey Baker, of the West End. His head is 8 1/2, the largest in three States, as the hat-makers have offered the same hat in a dozen towns in that many States. Mr. Baker is about 40 years old, and only four feet three inches tall. His head is 26 inches in circumference.

Fifty-Two Years Ago. In the list of students of the Missouri State University during the year ending November 1847, we find the name of E. H. Burman, brother of Hon. C. F. Burman and Mrs. Eugenia Hume, of this city. The total enrollment that year was only 35. Now it over 300. Another brother, Thompson Burman, was a student of the University the year before. The roll is being published every week by the Columbia, Mo., Statesman.

MR. BUCHANAN'S DEATH. In the death of Mr. A. G. Buchanan a familiar figure is removed from our midst. He was one of our best known citizens, although quiet and unostentatious. He amassed a good estate and leaves a widow (ne Miss Hattie March) and one child. Funeral on Saturday followed by interment in the Richmond Cemetery. Mr. Buchanan was a native of Wolfe county, where his father and numerous relatives survive.

—Proctor Knott Cigar.

Mr. Oldham Will Announce. We are requested to state that at the proper time Mr. Sanford Oldham will announce his candidacy for County Clerk subject to the action of the Democratic party, and it goes without saying that he will make a good, strong race.

Helpless From Paralysis, She Was Burned To Death. A terrible death was that of Mrs. Garland Kindred, of Berea, last week. While seated in a chair near the fire her clothing became ignited, and as she was a paralytic and helpless she was fatally burned. Two children, too small to render effective aid, were the horrified witnesses of the holocaust.

Particularly Fatal To Lambs. Mr. T. S. Burman and Mr. Waller Bennett, of Richmond, were at the Galt House last night. Both gentlemen are prominent tobacco planters and fine stock raisers of Madison county. "The recent cold spell," said Mr. Burman, "was particularly fatal to lambs. I lost a great many which were frozen to death, although they were under shelter. I don't believe we ever experienced such weather before in our part of the State."—C-J.

IN DEFENSE OF THE ESTILL SOLDIERS. Upon the written authority of Clabe F. Tharp, of Winchester, the CLIMAX is authorized to say that not one of the forty Estill county members of the 4th Ky. was guilty of misbehavior on the trains at Lexington last week, when some of the hilarious boys shot out the lights in the coaches and so terrified the passengers that one coach load of rowdy soldiers was backed up to the station house and arrested. Mr. Tharp says none of his companions was drunk or dinking.

Declamatory Contest. There will be an interesting declamatory contest in the University chapel this evening at 7:30. Following are the contestants: W. N. Howe, "Individualism," Mo. P. F. Adams, "The Dawn of Premanence," Ky. N. L. Shropshire, "The Nobility of Labor," Ky. O. G. Crooke, "The Triumph of Truth," Ky. L. B. Herrington, "San Spots," Ga. R. W. Keenan, "The Anglo Saxon Predominance," Ky.

Kentucky Press Meeting. At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Kentucky Press Association, held at the Galt House, in Louisville, it was decided to hold the annual meeting sometime late in June or early in July. The place of meeting has not been decided upon. Messrs. Woolfolk, McCarty and Brown were appointed a committee to look into railroad rates.

Those at the meeting were: Messrs. Harry Sommers, of Elizabethtown, Chairman; Joseph Williams, of Falmouth; Harry McCarty, of Nicholasville; Chas. G. Howard, of Hodgsonville; Henry Woolfolk, of Danville; H. Westover, of Williamstown; R. W. Brown, of Louisville, and D. E. Wallace, of Warsaw.

Coming to Richmond. Alden Benedict's "Fabio Romani," which will be presented at the Opera House on Saturday, February 25, is a romantic melodrama on the order of "Monte Cristo," but differing entirely from that famous play, and it is said to surpass it in interest and dramatic effect. The scenery and effects are realistic, especially the earthquake scene in the last act, which is pronounced by the press where the play has been produced to be one of the finest stage pictures ever presented to the public.

Mr. Benedict has a company selected for the next six months, decided to change their location. During their stay here they have met with marvelous success, having made one hundred portraits, all of which have given entire satisfaction without exception. Their work has been of the highest order, and has recommended itself to our citizens. Many of Clyburnia's best and wealthiest citizens have had portraits made, and have almost invariably left orders for the second portrait, so well pleased were they with the first one. Seldom has Clyburnia been so favored with a visit from such high grade artists, and the quality of their work is greatly appreciated. It is but mildly expressing it. We can freely and unhesitatingly recommend them wherever they go as artists capable of the finest work, and a worthy and liberal patronage. We will not further recommend their work, for it speaks for itself. Should they ever come to Clyburnia again they will be greeted with a hearty welcome.—Clyburnia Democrat.



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Take any of our SUITS and OVERCOATS at \$12.50 and they have the set and style of Merchant Tailor's work.

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Gold is Scarce When You Want It. A gentleman applied to the four banks of this city on Monday for two hundred dollars in gold. In every instance he was told that it was "too scarce." He succeeded in getting the gold coin finally by taking it in part from each bank. Funny, ain't it?

Two Handsome New Hearse. Hearses, alias funeral cars, are dismal topics for public comment, but when you see the two superb coffin carriers just bought by Biggs & Oldham, you will not hesitate to wonder and comment upon their grandeur and massiveness. The larger one is the first of its kind ever manufactured, and is a thing of beauty.

Call on Mr. John W. Ballard. Knowing your private and political record to be unblemished, that you have worked for our party in and out of session, that you have never asked for office, never held office, and are not now seeking office, we petition you to announce yourself for Sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Figures in Fate. At the Mrs. Newman sale on the 18th about 300 barrels of corn sold at \$1.40 and about 150 bushels of oats at 25 cents. Fat hogs at estimate of 4 cents; all named were for cash. Brood sows \$1.10. Steer calves \$15. Breeding ewes \$3. Bull \$30. Work horses at \$25 to \$30. Well assorted approximate prices. Farming implements were also in good demand.

Biggest Deed on Record. In consideration of \$61,000 paid to Mr. Chas. E. Smith, of this city, by an English syndicate, a deed will be recorded in the county of Kent, England, that the revenue stamps attached to the deed cost \$61,000. (And still the Spanish War goes on.) This is the result of Mr. Smith's sale of a part of his standing timber and timber land.

THE COUNCIL AND THE LADIES. Richmond housewives should not complain when mud is tracked into their houses. Just as soon as the sun turns the mud to dust the wind will blow it into the house anyway. The Councilman who would either be elected or embalm in the grateful memory of our people should make a specialty of harping on "clean streets" until we get clean streets, kept clean.

FELL OFF THE BUS AND BADLY HURT. While driving the big omnibus from the midnight train last week, Dick Shanks' foot slipped off the brake as the vehicle was going down the hill to the cemetery and he fell headlong to the frozen ground. The passengers knew nothing of the accident as the horses continued their journey for some distance. Shanks' injuries consist of a broken jaw and leg and painful bruises.

E. E. McCann and S. P. Deatherage Form a Partnership. The above named gentlemen will shortly re-open the store of E. E. McCann, opposite the Hotel Glyndon, and will handle an exclusive stock of China, glass, wooden and willow ware, and articles of that nature. The gentlemen have the capital to back them, are highly esteemed, and will give to Richmond a specialty store not surpassed outside the large cities. They propose to display themselves and their goods such as have never been brought to Richmond, except by the single piece.

Fruit Not Killed. H. F. Hillemeier says that peach buds have been killed, but he believes that apples, pears, cherries, plums, etc., are still safe.

Whirled to His Death. Charles Mitchell, colored, aged 25, was caught in the ice and the main shaft of Rucker's Mill, at Paint Lick yesterday morning, and was whirled to his death.

Ice Gorge Broke. A Valley View special to the Louisville Post of Saturday says: "An ice gorge tore away the Burt-Brabb Lumber Company's boom at Ford this morning. A special train bringing a load of lumber to stop the boom there arrived this morning. The gorge was from the headwaters of the river."

Beware of The Poisonous Pin. Sinclair Hill, son of James Hill, of Lancaster, opened a blister on his lip with a pin. The place soon began to swell and become painful. A physician was finally summoned, but blood poisoning had set in, and now the boy's entire face is nearly twice its right size and red as blood. The result may prove fatal.

A Song of The Fourth Kentucky. Dear Dad: The rose is red, The violet blue, If you love me as I love you, Send me fifty I O U.

Papa's answer: The sky is blue, The pink is pink, I'll send you fifty, I don't think.

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Look out for our announcements in the local papers and circulars. They will always contain something to interest you, and our "LOW CASH PRICES" will save you money.

Our first offerings for the New Year will be nice yard-wide Bleached Cotton, 46 yard; Green Ticket Bleached Cotton, 46 yard; Fruit of the loom Bleached Cotton, 46 yard; Masonville Bleached Cotton, 46 yard; best 10-4 Peppered Bleached Sheet, 15c yard; good 10-4 Unbleached Sheet, 12c yard; good yard-wide Brown Cotton, 36c yard; A-1 Ticonderoga yard-wide Brown Cotton, 46c yard; A-1 Ticonderoga yard-wide Brown Cotton, 46c yard.

Customers are not limited as to the quantity of their purchases. We have our ware rooms full of all kinds of domestic goods and as long as these special prices are named on them customers can buy what they want.

We will offer good calicoes at 9c; American indigo blue calico, 4c; new red calicoes, best brands, 4c; American shirtings, new styles, 3c; Simpson's black and mourning prints, 4c.

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Here's Your Chance.

Some Extraordinary Offers by The Climax.

The CLIMAX wants five hundred new subscribers by the first of the new year.

In order to reach this end, some extraordinary inducements will be made. Until further notice the following will be offered to subscribers.

The CLIMAX and The Weekly Louisville Dispatch, \$1.25.

The CLIMAX and the Home and Farm, \$1.30.

The CLIMAX and either the Cosmopolitan, Munsey's or McClure's Magazine, \$2.00.

The CLIMAX and the Louisville daily evening post, \$3.

The CLIMAX and the Louisville and Nashville Courier-Journal, both for one year \$1.60.

The CLIMAX and Weekly Cincinnati Enquirer, \$1.50.

The CLIMAX and Ohio Farm, \$1.90.

The CLIMAX can also furnish any paper published in the United States, or Europe at reduced rates.

County Court Days.

Paris, Bourbon county, first Monday.

Richmond, Madison county, first Monday.

Lexington, Fayette county, second Monday.

Stanford, Lincoln county, second Monday.

Georgetown, Scott county, third Monday.

Danville, Boyle county, third Monday.

Nicholasville, Jessamine county, third Monday.

Winchester, Clark county, fourth Monday.

Versailles, Woodford county, fourth Monday.

Why THE POOR GET POORER.

During the year 1898 ninety-two "trusts" or "combinations" were formed by wealthy and protected manufacturers of the United States, with a capital, all told, of \$1,500,000,000.

A few comparisons will enable us to grasp the meaning of this great capital.

The total value of our wheat crop for 1898 is placed at \$310,000,000—less than one-third of the capital of the 1898 trusts.

The value of all horses in the United States in 1897 was estimated at \$452,426.

The value of our mineral products in 1896 was \$223,712,288.

The value of our sheep in 1897 was only \$65,000,000.

The value of our milk cows in 1897 was \$309,239,993.

The value of sugar consumed in this country is now about \$220,000,000 a year.

The total of wages paid in the sugar refining industry about \$2,000,000—less than one six-hundredth of the trust capital of 1898.

And yet there are people who either can not, or will not, understand why the rich get richer and the poor get poorer.

HOW HE ARRIVED AT THE RIGHT AGE.

The lady in the witness box was reluctant to disclose her age, and the presiding magistrate was anxious enough not to press the question.

"What is your age, madam?" he inquired, and "Whatever you choose, sir," she had made answer. She was under twenty.

"You may be put down forty-five years, then," said the magistrate to the clerk. "What is your occupation, madam?"

"Sir," said the witness, "you have made a mistake of ten years in my age."

"Put down fifty-five years," directed the magistrate. "Your residence?"

"Sir," exclaimed the lady, angrily, "my age is thirty-five years, not fifty-five."

"Thank you, madam," said the magistrate, blandly, and the entire bench joined in the smile that went round the court.

A COON DOG CASE.

A novel case was tried in the Quarterly Court Wednesday, says the Standard Interior Journal. Ed Adams, of Jessamine county, sought to recover a dog from Elijah Cheatam, which the latter detained on his premises for thirty days. A number of witnesses were introduced, a large crowd was in attendance. Letcher Overly was special judge and six lawyers were employed in the case and two Baptist preachers were on the jury. The trial consumed the entire day. The lawyers for the plaintiff claimed that he was a good coon dog and that the ladies of the coons that he would have caught if he had not been detained would have been worth \$10. They claimed this amount of the dog. After a few moments deliberation the jury gave the dog to the plaintiff.

Sho-It requires money to get in society nowadays.

Ho-Yes; and it requires brains to keep out of it.

Have You Heard of It?

You may have heard about SCOTT'S EMULSION and have a vague notion that it is cod-liver oil with its bad taste and smell and all its other repulsive features.

It is cod-liver oil, the purest and the best in the world, but made so palatable that almost everybody can take it. Nearly all children like it and ask for more.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

looks like cream; it nourishes the wasted body of the baby, child or adult better than cream or any other food in existence. It bears about the same relation to other emulsions that cream does to milk. If you have had any experience with other so-called "just as good" preparations, you will find that this is a fact.

The hyphosphates that are combined with the cod-liver oil give additional value to it because they tone up the nervous system and impart strength to the whole body.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

Parted in a Dream.

The song is a charming story of the parting of a brave American soldier, who fell at Santiago de Cuba, from his sweetheart. He appeared to her in a dream, the instant of his death, and in the parting, asked her to wear for him a rose in her hair, that he might surely know her when his name was mentioned.

The song contains a beautiful sentiment that makes one wish to take it home with him. The words and music are both written by our fellow craftsman, Halbert L. Hoard, of Fort Atkinson, Wis., a son, by the way, of ex-Governor W. D. Hoard of Wisconsin.

The song (25c net) may be ordered of him.

Coughing injuries and inflames our lungs. One Minute Cough Cure loosens the cold, alays coughing and heals quickly. The best cure for children. Douglas & Wells.

Bowman & Terhune bought 23,000 pounds of tobacco of Mr. Will Irving, at an average of \$8.40 per hundred.

Andy Peach shipped 10,000 pounds of tobacco to Louisville last week. It brought an average of \$8.40 per hundred.

Owing to the bad weather and the bad luck many farmers are having with their lambs, the Democrat has asked different farmers for their way of preventing them from chilling to death.

Mr. George Nichols says when he finds a lamb chilled to death in milk-water, and places it in a stove he has for that purpose. Mr. John C. Davis has also used Mr. Nichols remedy with success, and a little whiskey properly administered is excellent, but great care must be exercised for it does not require a great deal to strangle the outgoing breath.

Harrodsburg Democrat.

NOT TO BE CAUGHT.

The aged attorney looked keenly at the young lawyer.

"Do you love my daughter?" he asked.

The youngster hesitated.

"Before I give you a direct answer, Judge," he said, with much earnestness, "I want you to pledge me your word, unprofessionally, that the information will not be used against me!"

"BEFORE BABY IS BORN."

A Valuable Little Book of Interest to All Women Sent Free.

Every woman looks forward with longing of indescribable joy to the momentous event in her life, compared with which all other pale into insignificance. How proud and happy she will be when her precious babe nestles on her breast—how sweet the name of "Mother!" And yet her happy anticipation of this event is clouded with misgivings of the pain and danger of the ordeal, so that it is impossible to avoid the feeling of constant dread which creeps over her. The danger and suffering attendant upon being a mother can be entirely removed, so that the coming of the little stranger need not be looked forward to with fear and trembling, as is so often the case. Every woman who reads this paper can obtain absolutely free a valuable and attractive little book entitled "Before Baby is Born," by sending her name and address to the Bradfield Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga. This book contains priceless information to all women, and no one should fail to send for it.

The Bradfield Regulator News presents this list of prices paid back in the O's, for the consideration of those who long for the good old times:

Grocery bills of 1898 are a variation from those of 1899. In this city in 1898, bacon retailed at 20 cents a pound; brown sugar 18 cents; white sugar 20 cents; tea \$1.75 to \$2; flour, per cwt., \$7 to \$8.50; salt, per bbl., \$5; syrup, per gallon, \$1.00; cod oil, per gallon, 75 cents; cod liver oil, 50 cents.

The grocer of '99 can get on with a smaller cash drawer than the grocer of '98, unless he has a much larger number of customers.

FINE NEEDLE WORK.

Please write to me if you wish for any line of fine needle work. I am a native from childhood and have been very proficient, and my aged mother and myself are dependent on this, the only thing I can do. As a sample I will send of the following articles on receipt of one-third the price named: Large center piece or six daises in drawn, embroidered or in the style of the late Dr. J. E. Foster will come in at once and settle or else accounts will be sent on.

The quick conviction—cure—Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Never gripe.

PRACTICAL HINTS ON ADVERTISING.

The science of advertising is in its infancy, says an exchange. It is growing in importance and efficiency every day. It used to be a speculative venture—now it is a scientific certainty.

No man has ever reached the acme of business success. Heights that we do not dream of will be attained by twentieth century merchants. I am one of those who believe that there is no limit to the possibilities of human achievements.

No man has ever yet made a success of business without advertising of some kind. May be he don't call it advertising, but he is advertising just the same. Advertising primarily consists in letting people know you are in existence, and what excuse you have for it.

Takes More Papers Than He Can Read.

An exchange thus comments on the man "who takes more papers than he can read":

"Most editors are familiar with the man who takes more papers than he can read," consequently has no use for his local paper. He takes a paper at Augusta, Maine, which contains all the news of "Sungler's Last Cruise, the Bandit King," etc., and while storing his mind with information his wife is reading last week's almanac. But let them get into trouble, he rushes to the local newspaper to get him out and wants it bad. If his wife or baby dies he wants a column obituary. Yet he is "taking so many papers" that he can not help his local paper by subscribing. This is the same man who wants a fifteen line local puff in your paper just to fill up, you know."

GREAT MISSING WORD CONTEST.

The Climax Offers a New Plan to Its Subscribers Who Take The Climax in Combination Offer.

OPPORTUNITY OF THE SEASON.

We take pleasure in announcing a missing word problem to our subscribers who take The Climax in Combination Offer.

The sentence:

"I was immediately conscious of the effect which his ——— produced on his companions."

It is taken from a charming, living southern author and is offered to test the knowledge of our people of their own writers. The missing word is a plain every-day English word, not a compound word, not a proper name, and is used in its ordinary acceptance.

The prize to be given will be 10 per cent of all the subscriptions received from contestants by The Constitution, Atlanta, Ga. It will be paid by The Atlanta Constitution. That paper has paid on missing word contests alone nearly \$10,000 in cash prizes. To one party, Mr. M. L. Brittain, was given a check for \$1,053.50 for one successful guess; others have received large sums ranging from \$55 to over \$300 on similar propositions. This contest is on until April 1, 1899, at which time the results will be promptly and properly announced.

Every subscriber who takes advantage of our clubbing offer will be entitled to fill the blank in the sentence. It must be given to us at the time of the subscription so we may forward it together with his order for The Constitution. It is a plain, fair plan and we feel sure that many will be interested and will hunt up the word or take a shot at it. The subscription orders under this combination offer must be sent directly to this office and not to The Constitution. We will forward everything ourselves.

CLIMAX PTO. CO.

From reports nearly fifty per cent. of the drop of lambs thus far in this locality have been lost by freezing as they drop. Some have resorted to the plan of securing the ewes in a house warmed by a stove and wet nursing the lambs as soon as dropped with good results—Lexington Gazette.

You got more in the Twice-Week Courier-Journal than in any other paper published—both in quality and quantity. 104 papers one